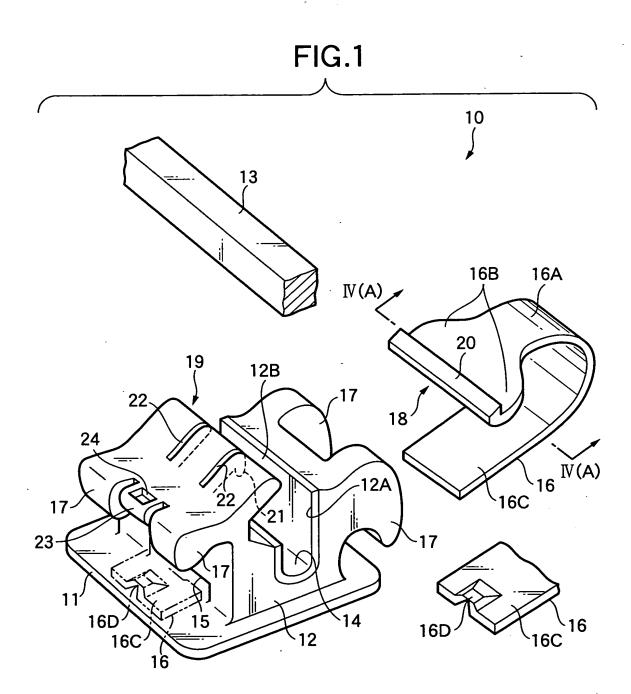


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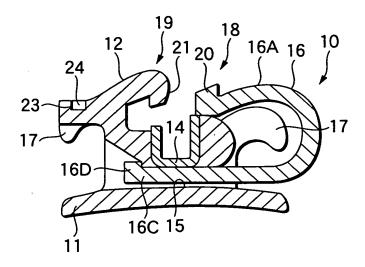




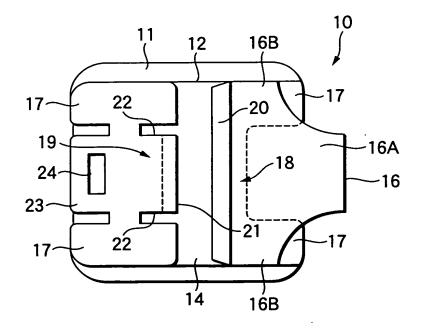
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### FIG.2(A)



## FIG.2(B)



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FIG.3(A)

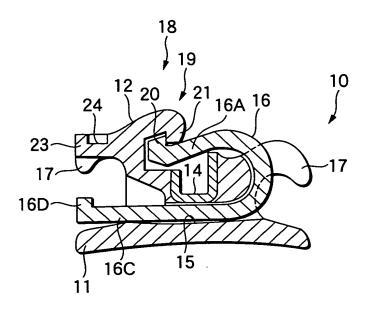
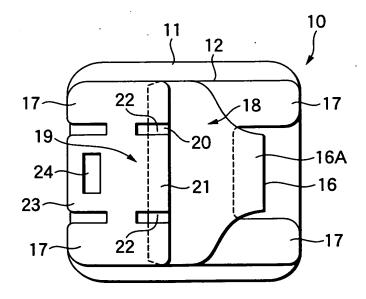


FIG.3(B)



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FIG.4(A)

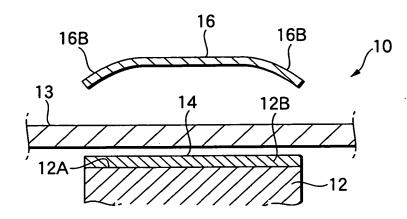


FIG.4(B)

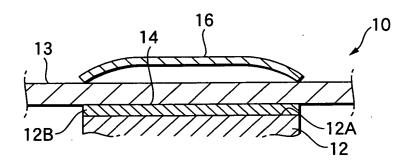


FIG.4(C)

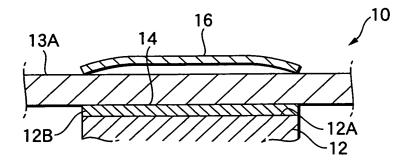
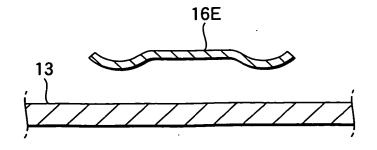


FIG.4(D)

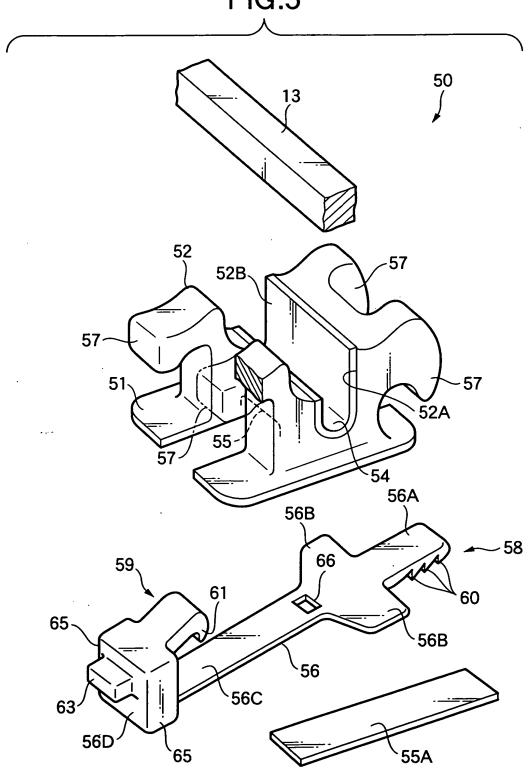




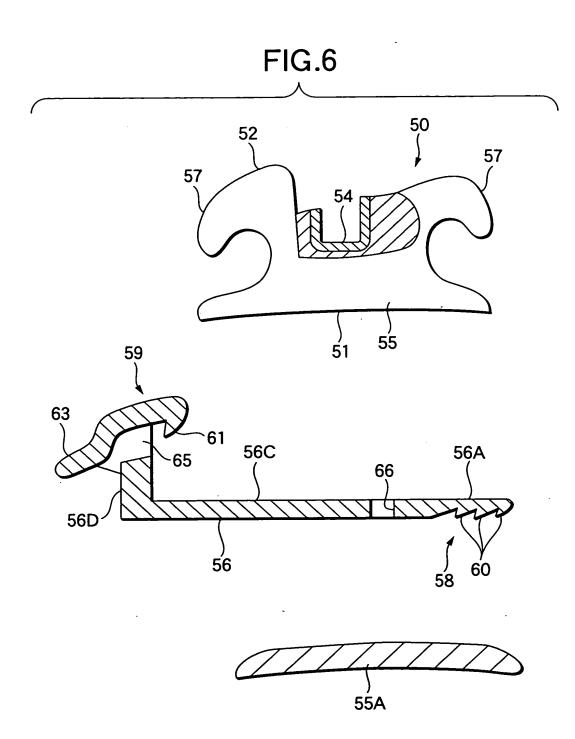
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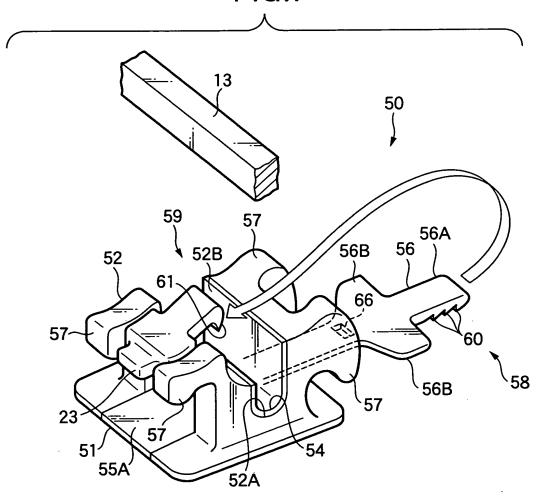
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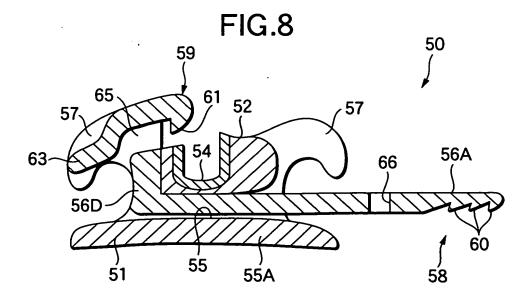


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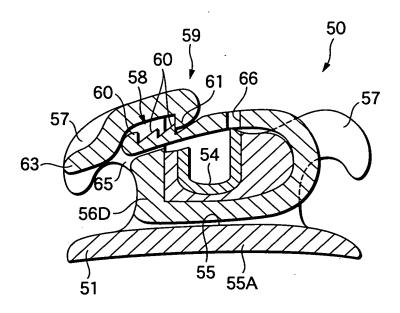
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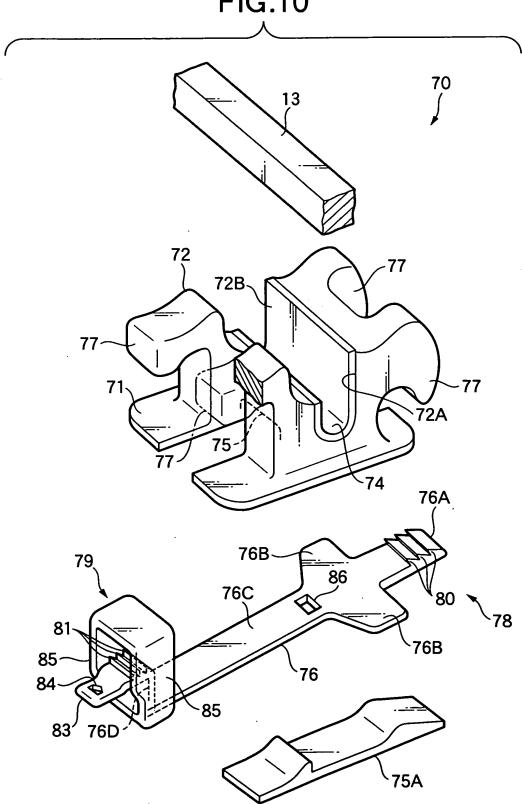
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FIG.9

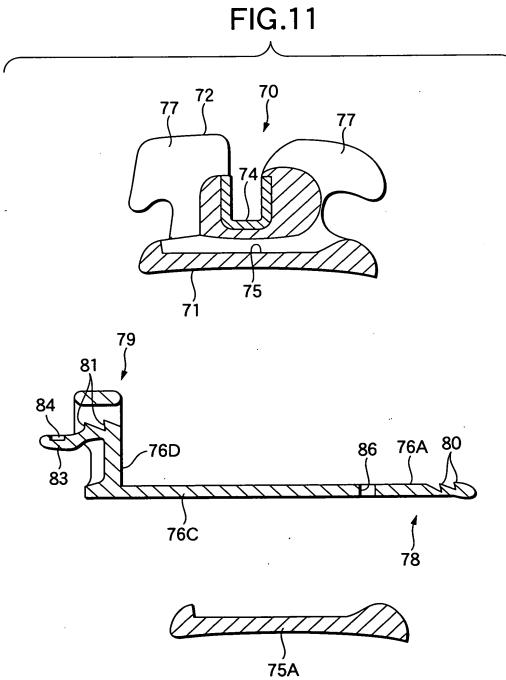


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**FIG.10** 



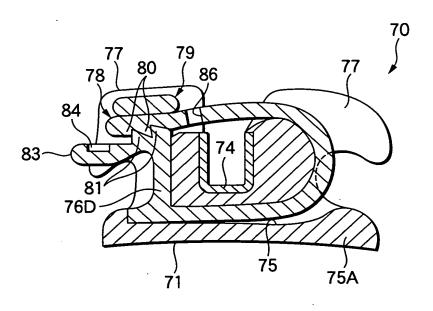
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#### FIG.12



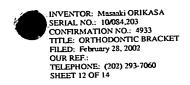


FIG.13(A)

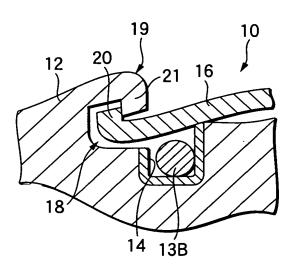


FIG.13(B)

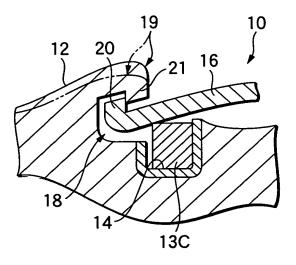


FIG.13(C)

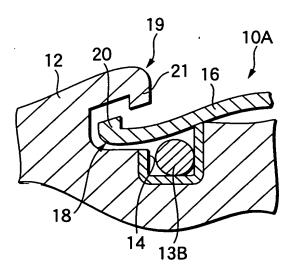
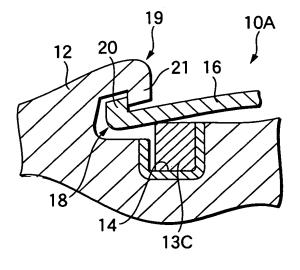


FIG.13(D)



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### FIG.14(A)

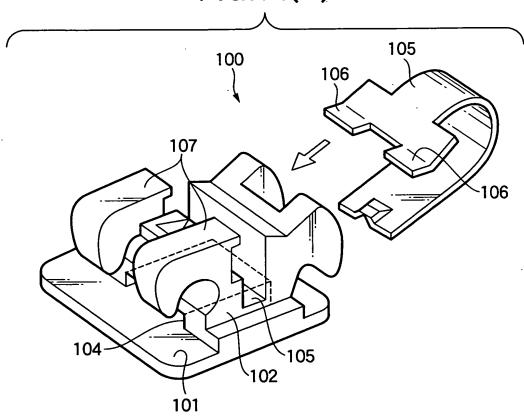
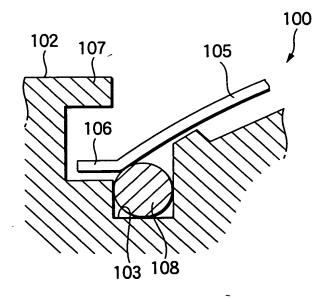


FIG.14(B)



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# FIG.15(A)

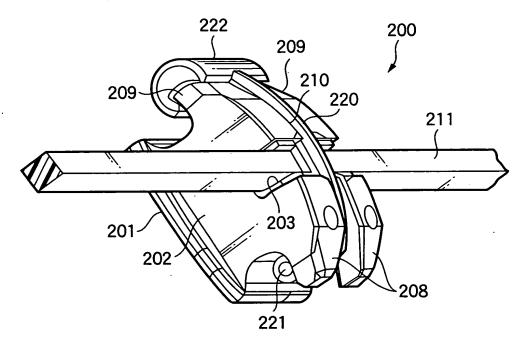


FIG.15(B)

